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| For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR |) | Confirmation No.: 7104 |
| CONTROLLING A PORTABLE |) | |
| OBJECT LIFE CYCLE, IN |) | |
| PARTICULAR, A SMART CARD |) | |

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